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### CONGRESS.

THIRTY-PIRST CONGRESS - FIRST SESSION.

THESDAY, DECEMBER 11, 1849.
The Senate met and adjourned, the House not yet having organized.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

We gave last week a summary of the proceedings on Tacoskay. All that is now necessary is, to present the vote on the last, or

"INTERVENENT PALL."

Whole number of votes cast, 220; necessary to achient 114.

Johnson, McKissook, F. E. McLoun, Morton, Owen, Alexander H. Stephens, John B. Thompson, Charles, M. Stephens, M. Stephens

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that is not been as the form Indians.

Mr. Thompson of Mississippi thought it well that these developments had been made in time, but he said gentlemen were not now sufficiently composed to go on wigh business, fifth he would therefore more an adjournment.

He gave way to Mr. Dunham, on a pledge from that gentleman that he would renew the motion

ple shall have their opinions stifled in this House; that they shall not be heard here; and that they shall not be permitted to give their opinions to their countrymea upon this floor; in short, sir, that they shall be octavelised in the Halls of their National Legislature; in short, sir, there is not a man here that dawe do it. He renewed the motion to adjourn, which pre-

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37 Editorials and nows are almost crowded only of the Eu this week, by the report of Con-greedonal proceedings; but we knew that our readers would not excuse us for a mesger report, at this crisis, of the doings of the House of Rep-resentatives.

resentatives.

Our correspondents will see why their favors are denied a place. We have many poetical end prose contributions of great merit, which shall receive due attention.

## OUR SECOND EDITION.

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Last week we issued a second edition of the Eon, inserting in it all of Mrs. Southworth's story, and of the proceedings of Congress, from the beginning, for the sake of supplying new subscribers. That edition of 1,200 copies has since been entirely exhausted.

This would, we make a very privace of voliging, means the control of the Eon, containing the yearse, every mail, we shall print a third edition of the Eon, containing those perions of "De Medin-in-Lorn", and of Congressional proceedings, which we same also play to them in our regular edition, so that they may have both matters complete.

We hope our friends will be grouple, and each up our list at once to twenty thousand. As it is, they have laid as under strong obligations, by their disinterested seal for the paper.

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# THE UNION.

We are not among those who are apprehensive for the fate of the Union; hut, suppose it be in danger, what then? Suppose that it could be demonstrated, but he attifaction of every member of Congress from the free States, that the election of a Provine Spracker, or the passage of a bill through both Houses, with that messure incorpo-

A NTRAME MOVEMENT.

On Manday, Mr. Goodeney, a Whig member from Maine, offered the following resolution in the Home:

"Resolvad, That Robert C. Winthrep, of Massachusetts, be and he hereby is appointed Speaker; and J. Forney, of Pennylvains, be and he hereby is appointed Clerk; and J. W. Johnson, master of this House? But a speptiated Permanter of the House?

This resolution was offered by a Whig, and sustained generally by Whig members. Now, who is J. W. Forney? A Cass Democrat, who, as editor of the Pennsylvanian of Philadelphis, has equalled, if not surpassed, the editor of the Washington Umins, in his hitter denunciation of Pres-Soilism, the Wilmon Provise, and every form and degree of Anti-Silvary agistation—and who, as a candidate for the Circhelip, has been resting his hopes of success upon the favor of slaveholding members. This is the sam whem the Whig members, all of them professing deep devotion to Pres-Soil and the Wilmod Previse, Growth and the Wilmod Previse, Growth of the Wester o grees! The evil and the cause of it are seen; the remedy is in their own hands. Will they apply it? If not, let them quit-talking about Slavery, and make up their minds to submit meekly and ellently to all its requirements.

COMBEENS.

The dehates in the House have been so interesting and important, that we have little room for anything due in this week's number. We have excluded from our report everything irrelevant of the containment of the force of account of the containment of the force of the containment of the containment of the force of the containment of the force of the American Prople. The press of the North already begins to thunder its demunciation against men who would plunge the country into the horrors of a civil war because they fore Tongers may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress may interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress and interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress and interpose to preserve Freedom in the Territories. All eyes are fixed upon Congress and the territories and first. The American Congress, led by Mr. Toombe, evidently created to gain another admantage, but this they must be disappointed. Not even their position near whose duty it is to defend Free Soil from the invesion of Slavery? " \* \* " Callfornia and New Mexico come into the Union Force of the Congress, cold of a Southern Convention, will not change the determination of the friend production will now defined free Soil from the invesion of Slavery? " \* \* " Callfornia and New Mexico come into the Union Force of the Southern Convention, will not change the determination of the friends of the Southern Convention, the Southern Convention, the Southern Convention, will not change the determination of the friends of the Southern Convention, the Southern Convention, the Southern Con

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 13, 1849.

SENATE.

The Senate met and adjourned as sound.

HOUSE OF REPRESURATIVES.

[The galleries to-day were as usual crowled with spectators. The extraordinary seen of yesterday was followed up by a debate, no less extraordinary. We have not room to give it at full length, nor is it desirable to do so, much of it heige entirely animporstant. We shall depend chiefly on the full and accurate report of the Daily Globel.

The Journal having been read, Mr. Brown of Minissippi officed the following resolution: Resired, That Howell Cobb, of Georgia, is hereby choices a Speaker? of the House. Of Representatives of the thirty-first Congress.

Mr. Brown, in the course of this remarks advecting the resolution, chitmed a mujority for the Democratic party on the floor of the House.

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Mr. Levin splend that he had on continued in the control of the Ministry of the House.

Mr. Brown, he hely a legical the ministry, responsible for the organization of the House.

Mr. Brown applied that he had on continued it.

readth of the stand they have taken. "Let u how the men, they say, who in this hour of tris all be found faltering—we will take care of NON-INTERVENTION VS. THE PROVISO.

This remark sponse to my frien rt,] I feel it dus

tool Brid.—Mer Feetkerston.

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Powell, Seddon, and Venable,
P. B. Petk.—Mr. Houston.

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## DOMESTIC MARKETS.

EUROPEAN CORRESPONDENCE.

The ground is whitened this morning with a nt mow, just enough to remind us of the apach of winter. We have had very pleasant there thus far, searcely celd eneagh to be brater than the presency celd eneagh to be brater. The winter has only given sign of its presby whithink just he days into a very narrow puss. The daylight comes a little before the day into the state of the search of Montreal. Serveybody—that is, svery whe has had money enough to do se—has when the search of t

Pishi, a vonerable priest of 65 years of age, been also found guilty of high treason. His cowas, having officiated as descent in the re-sus solemnities celebrated last Eastes, by the nonl Assembly of Rome. A Autons, the Papal War Council has sen-ed Peasurect to two months' imprisonment, uses an old pistol was found on his premises; eight others to the same term of imprison-ing, and to be fed on hread and water, for this of not delivering up the areas in their pos-or not delivering up the areas in their pos-

we persons have been sentenced to Vieuns War Council since it com-scaled and twenty-fave of the sen-d into execution. General Hayana gave the order that bard in town should been its inscrip-nan as well as Hungarian letters in separate the sentence of the sentence person were obliged to comply, but in painted the German letters in so in painted the German letters in so they were punished with these and

is been sentenced, at Vienna, ry confinement, for some free ouversation, on the course of ment in Hungary.

have been seized at Prague reports of the trial of Doctor of one of them. The Doctor eral years' imprisonment.

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General Cavaignao's, or the Centre par-already joined ferces. This Centre party bably outnumber either the Right or the d these last will surely never join, except ive measures. The old adage, "When fall out, honest men get their due," is

THE MOTHER-IN-LAW.

A STORY OF THE ISLAND ESTATE

early caught the infection; that is it of well. Ah! there is Kate Jumper pass Imuse get well. Armstrong's chamber; a privy cennell to be held there; I wonder upon what subject. Happily, it is none of my business." And Brighty began to make her evening toilet, and was soon absorbed in the interesting occupation.

Let us accompany "Kete Jumper" into the hamber of her mistress, whither she had been

e sulphorhood, and the terror of all the m. She had been the confidential attendant its. Armstrong in her early youth, and ever her marriage her fulled that important post, will been the nurse, and now also acted as the off the young girl of whom her mother took alous over to intrust her in the hands of reservat.

I may be entired the chamber of her mistress, she found at her evening tiellet, Louise, as sitting on a low chair near her. I young her companies to the chamber of the mistress, she found at her evening tiellet, Louise, as sitting on a low chair near her. I young her companies the site of the chamber of the mistress, she found at her of the mistress, she found at her of the mistress, she found at her death, and sit with your governess she is ready," said the lady, on seeing her entered.

Do you know where young Stuart-Gordon is what he is about, just now! He is still at home, at the Isle, madam." Ah! I had not seen or heard of him lately fancied that he had left the neighborhood does he amuse himself at the present time? They say that he is going to see Miss Somer-."

"They say that he is going as so wille?"
"How!" exclaimed the lndy, turning around as auddenly and abreply as to throw into chaos the elegant folds of the head-dress under Kate Jumper's hands. We have a support of the work of the control of the work of the control of the whole neighborhood, madam. Every one says that it will be

berhood, madam. Every wee wey.

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"Yes, madam?"
"And Miss Somerville has come over, evening, to tea at the Isle?"
"Yss, Madam?"
"Inexplicable! And no lady—uo matron-

d her."

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deed, no proper attendant could have been
the visit itself being highly improper
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see at Christman, seemed Miss O'Riley, seall give a dinner and relation to that, more particular, our preseuce. Will dness to sit down at my writing out, at my dictation, a list of ed?"

at my dictation, a list of e, madam," said Britannia, seat, and, dipping her pen set of peper hefore her, site set of peper hefore her, site yet panner was made out, rely aroped her pen and when the thirty-second. Se Mrs. Armstrom mean? Was she going to die? day to die we will all and glad degree that I should dis-tance of the second second as of inviting them to Mont

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said such an impertinent, question?

pull not conjecture the reason why you
he contagion of their proximity so much, d the contagion of their proximity so much ss there were some pestilential moral malaria ved from them," said Brighty, with assumed

ented Britannia, and gar her attention to her work. When the list of about a hundred name

"Now, Miss O'Riley, will you obligs me by writing cards of invitation addressed to each name of your list?" O'Riley bowsd compliance, and the lady, withdrew to have a consultation with her

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